


MEMORANDUM

June 30, 2010

TO: Mayor Kovash and City Council members

FROM: Tom Coffee, Consultant 

SUBJECT: Stafford Area Report

In June, Metro completed its urban/rural reserve process by adopting the final ordinance amendments and findings. Metro's final adoption actions along with the final actions of Clackamas, Multnomah and Washington Counties were submitted to the Department of Land Conservation and Development on June 23, 2010. Participants in the reserve process were notified of the opportunity to file objections to the decisions of Metro and the Counties within 21 days which will be July 14, 2010. Objections must be in writing and explain how the decisions violate state law that applies to urban and rural reserves.

City staff, the consultant and Attorney Jeff Condit met on June 28, 2010 to review the final ordinance and findings and will brief the City Council in executive session on July 6, 2010 on the objections that could be made to the decisions by Metro and Clackamas County.